

**ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL**

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**STATE BOARD MEETING DATE** September 22, 2008

**SUBJECT:** Open the Rule Making Process for R7-2-608 Early Childhood Teaching Certificates

**SUBMITTED BY:** Jan Amator, Deputy Associate Superintendent, Highly Qualified Professionals Unit

**MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:** September 4, 2008

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

At its August 6, 2008 meeting, the Certification Advisory Committee approved the proposed rule language to amend R7-2-608 Early Childhood Teaching Certificate. The proposed amendment will make this certificate required for preschool and kindergarten teachers as of July 1, 2012.

**BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: [ ] INFORMATION [ X ] ACTION/DESCRIBED**

That the Board opens the rule making process for the amendment to R7-2-608 Early Childhood Teaching Certificate.

**ATTACHMENTS: YES [X] NO [ ]**

Proposed amendment to R7-2-608 Early Childhood Teaching Certificate  
Summary of the Certification Advisory Committee Minutes